

TIMELY EVENTS PICTURED IN CARTOON BY THE LEADING ARTISTS OF THE COUNTRY

SUBURBAN SPORTS, IF—AS SCIENCE NOW SAYS—PLANTS HAVE FEELINGS

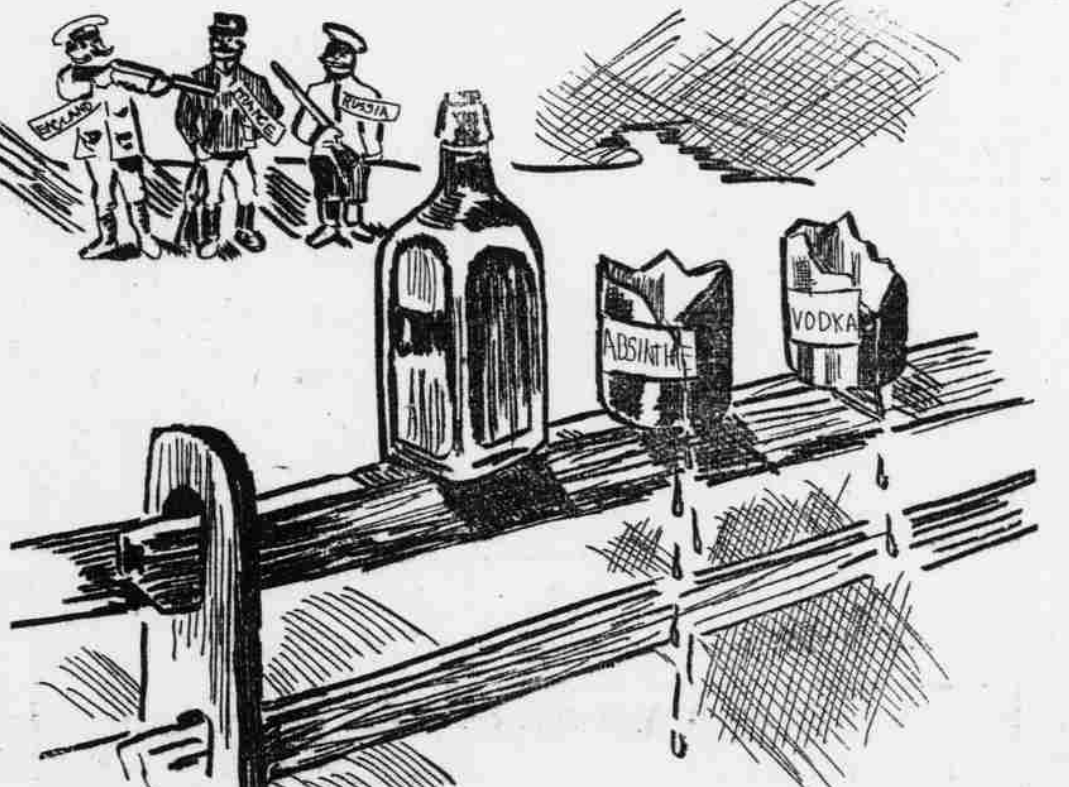


—Chicago News

SISTER SUSIE'S PATCHING PANTS FOR NEUTRALS



THE NEXT SHOT



—Philadelphia Record

AND SO THE POOR DOGS GOT NONE



—Baltimore American

"I AGREE WITH SHERMAN"



—Philadelphia Evening Ledger

ROAD SOCIETY

(Stonington)
Grange Meeting—Local Speaker Addresses Norwich D. A. R.

Mrs. Seth N. Williams left with the Western delegates Friday for Washington, where she will be the guest of Miss Ethel J. R. C. Noyes during the Continental Congress, D. A. R., the week of April 19th.

Stonington grange met at the church parlors Wednesday evening. A good meeting was held.

Miss Grace D. Wheeler arrived home from Boston Friday and was in Norwich Tuesday where, by invitation of Faith Trumbull chapter, D. A. R., she gave a talk on 'The Old Homes of Stonington, at the residence of Mrs. Amos A. Browning.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Fletcher of Western and John Kane of New London spent Sunday at Horace Frink's. Dr. I. Hart Noyes of Providence spent Sunday here with his parents.

Miss Hattie A. Wheeler has returned from a visit with friends at North Stonington.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Williams spent Tuesday at Richard Wheeler's of Shunock Heights, where Mr. Williams grafted apple trees.

Mrs. Noyes Palmer has returned from a visit with friends in New York.

Miss Martha G. Williams returned to Boston Monday after the Easter vacation.

Miss Mary Starr Wheeler has been made a Durant scholar for excellent work in studies at Wellesley, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Williams are improving from an attack of grip.

Mrs. Fernando Wheeler and Miss Florence Hewitt spent a part of the Easter week in Boston.

NORTH FRANKLIN

Meeting of J. W. Club—New York People Running Kingsley Farm.

Mrs. Imogene Arnold of Willimantic spent Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. Reuben Manning.

Henry Bridger of Norwich was a Sunday guest of Mrs. Grace Peckham.

Mrs. Theodore Crandall spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Charles Crandall of South Windham.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Carpenter of Western have returned home after spending several days with Mrs. A. T. Browning.

Mrs. George Kahn and Mrs. Louis Smith attended the Ladies' Aid society meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Peter Robinson of Pithville.

Miss Florence A. Hoffman spent the week end in East Greenwich, Mass.

J. W. Club Meets

The J. W. club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Reuben Manning. Five tables of whist were played. The prizes were awarded first to Mrs. Frank Rockwood; second, Miss Milly Ward. Sandwiches, cocoa and cake were served.

James Caldwell will spend the week end in Hartford.

Miss Helen Ward of Willimantic spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. T. H. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansen of New York are here to run the Alpheus Kingsley place.

Mason Gray will move to the Gilbert Rudd place in Bozrah.

Myron Ladd has purchased a new runabout automobile.

VOLUNTOWN

Court Liberty's Successful Whist Social—Excitement Because of Alleged Mad Dog.

Saturday evening Court Liberty, No. 122, P. O. A., gave a successful whist and social in Union hall. Following were the winners at the whist tables: Mrs. Edward E. Clark, first prize, jewel case; Mrs. Philip Boucher, second, hatpin holder; Mrs. first John N. Lewis, smoking dish; second, Henry Sheldon, cuff links. The scores were: Mrs. Onesime Boucher and Adelard Dupont. After the whist Richards' orchestra furnished music for dancing and disco prompted furnishing an evening of pleasure for the large crowd in attendance. Brothers Thomas McDonald, J. J. Herbert and George W. Macomber were the committee in charge of the successful affair.

George L. Bennett's Death.

News was received in town last Friday of the death of George L. Bennett, at Chicopee, Mass., on Thursday, at the age of 37. Mr. Bennett was well known in town. He had been residing during his boyhood. Burial took place on Sunday at Central Village.

Mad Dog Scare.

Another mad dog scare is occupying the attention of local residents. Dog Warden Sweet has been notified that a dog belonging to Mrs. Thomas Glasco, had gone mad and broken away, but nothing has been heard of it since. Mr. Sweet and his men are giving the matter their attention.

LEBANON

Eleven Tables Filled at Friday Night Whist Party.

A whist party was held Friday evening in the Grange hall. Eleven tables were played. The following prizes were awarded: Ladies' first, Mabel Noyes; second, Mrs. Thomas Glasco; Gentlemen's first, Carl Hallen; second, J. B. Blackless; consolation prizes, Mrs. Clement Fowler and Royce Loomis.

Mrs. C. J. Abell has returned home after visiting in Union City.

Edith L. Tucker was in New London Tuesday.

Fannie Perkins has returned after visiting in Springfield.

Edith L. Tucker was in New London Friday, where she is employed.

GARDNER LAKE

L. J. Dolbeare of San Francisco, formerly a resident of this place, is a guest of his brother, Sidney A. Dolbeare.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. Senay and Mr. Morris of New London were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dolbeare. The trip was made in Mr. Reynolds' touring car.

A little amateur boxing was enjoyed at Dolbeare's hall Thursday evening. Word was received from Mr. Price telling of his safe arrival in the south.

Thos will be services at the M. E. church at 10:45 a. m. tomorrow (Sunday).

CAMPBELL'S MILLS

William B. Clark and children visited Mr. Clark's grandnephew, Mrs. Hannah Clark, in Ledyard, Wednesday.

Cassius William Pittgood, who has been seriously ill, is slowly improving.

James H. Dixon has moved his sawmill and portable cottage from Greene, R. I., and will use his boiler and engine to run his shingle mill at Campbell's Mills.

Edna Grace Perkins visited in Ledyard this week.

Miss Marion Blackless spent the Easter vacation at her home in Lebanon.

England is an extensive purchaser of rubber heels for shoes.

NEWS FROM ONE HUNDRED LIVE CORRESPONDENTS

EASTERN CONNECTICUT AND WESTERN RHODE ISLAND.

Who is Going and Coming—Incidents, Accidents and Building in Three Counties.

New London County

GALES FERRY

Methodist Church Activities During the Past Year—Funeral of Harlan A. Pierce—Prof. Albert S. Bolles Attends.

On Sunday Rev. James M. Potter preached his last sermon in the M. E. church before leaving for the Conference in Brooklyn. Rev. Mr. Potter's theme was, Jesus, The Life Pilot; taken from St. John VI. 21.

The closing hymn sung by choir and congregation, Jesus Saviour, Pilot Me, was a fitting conclusion to an earnest sermon. Rev. Mr. Potter read the following extract from Zion's Herald of interest to all friends of this church.

"The Ladies' Aid Society has paid \$50 towards the new organ and about \$150 in improvements on the parsonage.

The Home Missionary Society has raised \$54, for its regular work, besides nearly \$20 towards current expenses. The cost of the new organ \$300, is all covered by pledges and these are nearly all paid. The special church fund on which Noyes E. Allen is working has gained \$450 this year, and now totals \$1,300. With all this the benevolences are being carefully looked after. At Brewster's Neck, the chapel, has been repaired at a cost of \$85, and a Sunday school organized.

Three open air services were held on the Bluffs with the summer people, under the auspices of the Epworth League.

Five young people have been received into the church on probation, one received by letter, and two baptisms. This is a resume of the work done the past conference year, by pastor and people. It is hoped and expected that Rev. Mr. Potter will be returned to the church the coming year.

Missionary Meetings.

Mrs. Emma Bennett and Mrs. Lucy A. Hurlbutt entertained the Home Missionary society, Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hurlbutt.

Mrs. James M. Potter president-pro-tem, presided. The meeting opened with singing 'Land of Our Love,' followed with prayer. The topic was, 'The Red Man and Our Social Order.'

The keynote: Behold I make all things new. Reading—The Indian's Gift to the White Man, Mrs. Emma Bennett; readings—The Ne-neokomis Girls, Miss Laura A. Perkins; Home Mission Enigmas, Mrs. Herman C. Perkins; Review of chapter IV. of Red Man's Land, Miss Alice Satterlee; roll call responded to with quotations from

Hiawatha or other Indian poems. The regular business meeting followed. The annual opening of the mite boxes yielded more than \$20. The usual social hour with music followed. The hostesses served refreshments.

Missionary Sunday.

The Quarterly Missionary Sunday was observed at the Sunday school session. There were special recitations by many and Madeline Birch and the offering was devoted to missions.

The following awards were given for regular attendance: Gold pins—Rev. Mr. Potter, Mrs. Potter and Donald Potter; gun metal pins—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chase and Herman Howard and Richard Chase; bronze pins—Helen Louise Colver and C. E. Maniere; Jr.; bronze star—Gordon Maniere; gold wreath, for three years regular attendance—Miss Kate B. Colver; silver pin—Lester Whitman; rolled gold star—Gertrude Allen.

Delegates Appointed.

Delegates appointed to attend the County Sunday School Association Mid-Year convention in the Second Congregational church, New London, April 22, were three teachers—Mrs. Eugene La Fontaine, Mrs. Dudley C. Perkins and Miss Laura A. Perkins.

At the Epworth League service conducted by the pastor Sunday evening, there was special music, closing with a quartette, 'The Little Brown Church in the Wildwood,' by Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Perkins, Miss Alice Satterlee and D. R. Povey.

Funeral of Harlan A. Pierce.

The funeral of Harlan Ashley Pierce was held at the family home, last Thursday at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. James M. Potter officiating. The bearers were Dudley C. Perkins, Samuel L. Brown, Edward Latimer and Ralph A. Hurlbutt of the village and Courtland C. Colver of the Navy Yard with Lawrence W. Mine of New London. Burial was in the village cemetery.

Attended Funeral.

Olbert Sidney Bolles Ph. D. LL. D., of Haverford, Penn., College, was in the place last week to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, Harlan Pierce, and Edward G. Riggs of Brooklyn, N. Y., was also in attendance.

Louis R. Church of Norwich visited his summer cottage on the Bluff last Thursday.

Courtland C. Colver of the Navy Yard attended the Massachusetts Ice Dealers' Association convention Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. W. C. Bracewell a former resident, now of Groton, attended the funeral of Harlan A. Pierce.

The Misses Mathewson, who have

spent the winter at the home of their brother, Randolph Mathewson, in Pittsfield, Mass., have returned to the village, and opened their home.

Mrs. Martin III.

Word has been received in the village of the serious illness of Mrs. James Martin, at the Meriden Hospital, from pleuro-pneumonia. Mrs. Martin is one of the pioneer cottage owners on the bluff.

Manager Lackey of the Yale Boat Club was in the place last Sunday.

Local Notes.

Mrs. James M. Potter went to Providence Thursday, and later in the week joined Rev. Mr. Potter at the N. E. S. Conference in Brooklyn, Mass.

Miss Laura A. Perkins left Wednesday to visit Mrs. C. Wilson Harrison at Bridgeport, R. I. over Conference Sunday.

The residence of Nathan A. Gibbs in the village is being opened and put in order for the occupancy of the family, who expect to leave Norwich for their summer home here next week.

There will be no service in the M. E. church tomorrow (Sunday) as the Rev. James M. Potter is attending conference.

CHESTERFIELD

Many at Masquerade Party—Creamery Property Sold.

The masquerade party given by Miss Ruth Morgan Wednesday was well attended. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. William Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. George Comstock, Misses Selma and Hazel Powers, Julia Sullivan, Katherine Carey, Marion and Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Florence Powers and Mrs. Robert Kaplan, Harry Hatfield, John Carey, Roy Howard and friend, Mr. Champion, Walter Phillips and Jim Miner. Games were played and piano solos. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. William Beebe of East Haddam is visiting Mrs. Charles Powers. Miss Florence Powers spent the week end at Mr. and Mrs. William Powers' in Waterford.

The meeting in the Methodist church was well attended Sunday by people from Salem, Waterford and Montville.

Buyers Creamery.

Abraham Miller has bought the Chesterfield creamery and ice house, and has men repairing the building which he is to soon have for a dwelling house and barn.

Miss Mary Tinker spent the first of the week with her sister, Mrs. Earl Lathrop of Montville.

Miss Ellen Powers has returned at-

ter visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willis Chapelle of Fitchville.

John R. Kaplan is repairing his store.

Misses Florence Powers and Julia Sullivan spent Tuesday evening with Miss Helen Kaplan and relatives.

There will be services in the Methodist church Sunday, April 18th, at 3 p. m. Rev. Mr. Crawford of Salem will preach.

There was only half a day school Friday on account of teachers' meeting in Palmettown.

Stockman-Rogers Marriage—Birthday Party Given John H. Barrett—Sunday School Concerts.

At Ariel Heights, in Ledyard, at the home of the bride's parents, Wednesday, April 14, Rev. Gies F. Goodenough of Ledyard united in marriage Olive W., eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert E. Rogers, and Charles H. Stockman, of Brooklyn, N. Y. Owning to a recent death in the family the wedding was quiet. There were many beautiful tokens of esteem and the many friends of the couple wish them happiness and success in their married life. After a short wedding tour Mr. and Mrs. Stockman will reside in Brooklyn, N. Y.

All the schools in town reopened Monday morning for the spring vacation. There were no changes in the teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Perkins of Groton transacted probate business in town Thursday.

Party on Birthday.

Master John H. Barrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Barrett, entertained nine of his friends Saturday afternoon from 2 to 5 on his eleventh birthday. Games of various kinds were played and all tried to pin the tail on the donkey. David Geer, Jr., won the prize, a box of candy. All marched in to supper with Master Barrett and Miss Marion Geer leading. The table was very prettily decorated. The birthday cake, adorned with eleven candles, was in the center of the table and was greatly admired. Master Barrett received a number of gifts. Those present were Marion Geer, Ray Holdridge, David Geer, Louise Clark, Carl Holdridge, George Geer, Clara Sherburne, Leslie Holdridge and Richard Geer.

Christopher Baldwin and daughter Ruth went to Jersey City Tuesday to attend the funeral of their aunt.

day for burial in the family lot in the cemetery near the chapel. He leaves three sons and a number of grandchildren.

Nathan N. Main was a recent business caller in Western.

Parties of arbutus hunters were out Sunday.

The barn on the Walker farm occupied by Henry Weseman was burned to the ground, Friday.

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Summer Cottagers Arriving At the Grove—Various Preparations for the Season.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shankowitay of New York, summer residents of the Grove, passed Sunday at their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eschenfelder and son Henry Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lindeus of New London, passed Sunday at Mr. Eschenfelder's cottage.

Frank J. Feeley of Brooklyn, N. Y., has arrived at the Grove. Mr. Feeley has engaged the restaurant and is busy putting it in shape for the opening date.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. S. Washburn, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Tubbs of Norwich, passed Sunday at the Washburn cottage.

Fred J. Howard has resigned at the plant of the Ship and Engine Company in Groton, and will take up a similar position in the village.

Edmund B. Smith, who is working in Waterbury for the Southern New England Telephone Company, passed Sunday with his mother and sister, at their home in Main street.

Elmer Saunders is enlarging the poultry yard of Mrs. Gleason.

Rev. and Mrs. J. William Knappenberger, who have been ill with grip for some time, are able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark moved Monday to the Manwaring house in Smith street.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Clark, who have been making a visit to Mrs. Clark's former home in Hartford, returned to their cottage Tuesday for the season.

James E. Hurie has returned from New Haven.

Returns to Bridgeport.

Richard Banta, who has been making a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Banta, has returned to Bridgeport.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Way have returned to Meriden after coming here to attend the funeral of Mr. Way's mother, Mrs. Martha S. Way.

Ivan Coulter, who is attending school in Norwich, passed the Easter recess with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Coulter in Hope street.

Frank Gates captured a large skunk near F. A. Beckwith's livery.

Miss Gladys Smith of New London was here last week making a visit to Miss Catherine Gorton.

Arthur Reed has returned from a visit to his brother in New Hampshire.

Mrs. Mary L. Morgan has opened her residence on Penn avenue, after passing the winter in New London.

Mrs. O. B. Case, who has been passing the winter with friends in Hartford, arrived in the Grove Monday, and opened her bungalow Alabama, for the season.

Mrs. George Lester of East Hartford is making a visit to her daughter, Mrs. N. W. Rogers of the Grove.

NORTH LYME

Miss Stark Recovering—Death of Henry B. Maynard.

Miss Emily Stark is recovering from a long illness and is able to take short rides on pleasant days.

Mrs. William Sisson, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sisson Jr., and daughter, motored to East Haddam last Friday.

Funeral of Henry B. Maynard.

Henry B. Maynard died at his home Monday night, death being due to apoplexy. He leaves beside his widow two sons, William and Herbert Maynard and three daughters, Mrs. Willis Hall of Hamburg, Mrs. Merrell Babcock and Miss Ethel Maynard.

Maynard was a kind neighbor and will be missed very much in the community. The funeral was held from his home Tuesday at 3 p. m. Rev. Francis Purvis officiating.

ASHWILLETT

Burial of Zachariah T. Pierce—Barn Burned.

Sigfred Ahlberg is cutting brush and making a new roadway to the back of his farm.

Frank Drake and G. Weltin were Sunday callers in Yawbux.

Charles Ahlberg and the Swensen brothers were at Lantern Hill and in Yawbux Valley Sunday.

The body of Zachariah T. Pierce, 67, was brought here from Ledyard, Fri-